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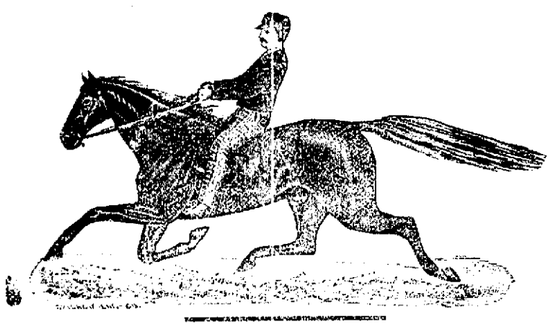

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ELI ROBBINS, *Runyan P. O., Columbia Co., Pa.*, says: "My daughter had catarrh when she was five years old, very badly. I saw Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy advertised, and procured a bottle for her, and soon saw that it helped her; a third bottle effected a permanent cure. She is now eighteen years old and sound and hearty."

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MY DEAR BILLY: I presume you will remember me yet. I am your cousin, you know, that you used to congregate with when you were young. I have wandered, yes, even beyond the pale of civilization, and here I am in the beautiful country of sage-brush and alkali-dust, where the dust is six inches deep on the ground and one and one half inches deep on our persons, where water does flourish, but dries up and withers before you can apply it to your person for the purpose of bathing. * * * This camp is a new one. It was not opened until last May. When I arrived there were five cabins, five houses and two tents, including a boarding-house, a saloon (of course) and a small store. The boarding-house is different from Delmonico's. We have all the delicacies of the season, consisting mostly of fried bacon. * * * Since my arrival quite an improvement has taken place. A new saloon has been started, and also a gambling house. Also a Chinese laundry has been started in a tent, and no longer do we have to exercise our individual apparel up and down a wash-board. In fact it now never requires to be washed but once, for the Chinamen uses up the clothes in one washing. A shoe-shop has also been started here, and a dentist has set up a chair and is punching the teeth of the residents. There is no physician within fifty-five miles, but it is of little moment, because every one gets killed some other way before he gets sick. Also, of the six or seven churches in the State, the nearest is fifty-five miles from here, which, with the present dusty walking, is too far to be of practical utility. But that does not signify much, as I am told that the times are too close to permit the congregation to indulge in the luxury of a minister.

The men sleep on the floors, on the ground (where the delicate scorpion and the elegant lizard commune with them nightly), in wagons or any other such residence as may turn up. I came here without any bedding. But one of the men lent me a pair of blankets, from which I scraped the dirt with a board, and rolling myself up in them slept on the floor. Did very well, but the floor is not very springy and my bones seem to be nearer the surface than I supposed. I sent for some bedding. My sleeping appointments are now elegant. I have a straw tick on the floor, with a pair of blankets and a comfortable; also a pillow, with a pillow-case on it. To be sure the pillow is small and rather destitute of feathers, and I frequently awake at night and find it gone. But I generally find it in one of my cars. I make the bed up every Sunday.

We have hot springs five miles from here. I went down Sunday for a bath, and spent five hours and one dollar and twenty-five cents to get the bath. However we now have very fine appointments for bathing. We bathe in the blacksmith's shop and get warm water out of the barrel the blacksmith uses. When you get through all you have to do is to scrape the dirt from your feet.—*Union City (Nev.) Letter in N. Y. Tribune.*

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A DIURETIC. In its composition the best and most active diuretics of the Materia Medica are combined scientifically with other effective remedies for diseases of the kidneys. It can be relied on to give quick relief and speedy cure.

Hundreds of testimonials have been received from persons who have used this remedy with remarkable benefit. Send for circulars, giving full particulars.

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—A Virginia gentleman relates that while fishing for chubs the other day he saw a terrapin crawl in a chub's bed, where the female had deposited her spawn, when the male chub sighted the intruder, caught him by the tail, backed out about six feet, and threw him (the terrapin) about twenty feet clear of the water. This fact is vouched for by several gentlemen of repute who witnessed the summary bouncing of the terrapin.

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"Another wonderful discovery has been made and that too by a lady in this county. Disease fastened its clutches upon her; for seven years she withstood its severest tests, but her vital organs were undermined and death seemed imminent. For three months she coughed incessantly and could not sleep. She bought of us a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and was so much relieved on taking the first dose that she slept all night and with one bottle has been miraculously cured. Her name is Mrs. Luther Lutz." Thus write W. C. Hamrick & Co., of Shelby, N. C. Get a free trial bottle at Swearingen's Drug Store.

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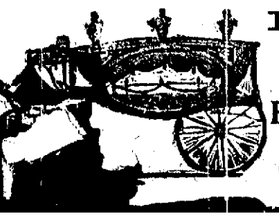

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CUT PRICES FOR THIS WEEK:

Ladies' Colored Border Handkerchiefs at 2, 3 and 5c.

Ladies' Colored Border Handkerchiefs, worth 10c, at 8c.

Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs, Drawn Borders, worth 12c, at 10c.

Ladies' Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Borders, worth 15c, at 12½c.

Ladies' Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Corners, at 15c, worth 20c.

Ladies' Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs, Embroidered Four Corners, at 19c, worth 25c.

Ladies Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs, Scalloped Edge, at 25c, worth 35c.

Ladies' Colored Border Linen Handkerchiefs, Scalloped Edge, at 39c, worth 50c.

Ladies' Colored Border Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Scalloped Edge, at 50c, worth 75c.

Ladies' Colored Border Linen Cambric Handkerchiefs, Scalloped Edge, at 75c, worth $1.00 and $1.25.

Ladies White Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs, at 19c, formerly 25c.

Ladies' White Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs at 25c, formerly 35c.

Ladies' White Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs at 39c, formerly 50c.

Ladies' White Embroidered Linen Handkerchiefs at 75c, formerly $1.00.

Gents' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Colored Border, at 12½c.

Gents' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Colored Border, at 15c.

Gents' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Colored Border, at 19c, formerly 25c.

Gents' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, Colored Border, 39c, formerly 50c.

500 yards of New Patterns in American Challies, at 7c per yard.

One lot of White Swiss Suits, Embroidered, at $1 each; reduced from $1.75.

One lot of White Swiss Suits, Embroidered, at $1.50: reduced from $2.50.

One lot of Fancy White and Colored Suits reduced to $2.98, $3.95 and $4.95; former prices, $4, $5, and $6.50 each.

One lot Black and Colored Satin Parasols, large size, 5-inch Silk Lace, $1.50.

One lot Black and Colored Satin Parasols, 5-inch Silk Lace, Silk Lining, $1.98.

One lot Extra Fine Satin Parasols, Fancy Lining, Deep Silk Lace Trimmed, fine handles, $2.95.

One lot Fancy Coaching Parasols, all colors, worth $3.50 to $4.50, for $2.49.

All our Best Fancy Parasols, $5 to $6.50, reduced to $3.95.

24-inch Gloria Silk Parasols, gold handles, for $1.75.

26-inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas, gold and and antique silver handles, $1.98.

Gents' Silk Umbrellas, full size, turned silver handles, paragon frame, $2.50.

One case of 30-inch American Fine Satines, at 12½c a yard.

100 pieces of French Fancy Satines, at 25c a yard.

50 pieces of Printed India Linens on white and tinted grounds, at 10c a yard.

200 pieces of Batiste 39 inches wide, at 10c a yard.

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SUMMER SILKS, in Checks and Stripes—in lengths of 5 to 15 yards—BEST QUALITY, formerly sold at 75c, ... 40c

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The Best Black, ABSOLTUTELY FAST, LADIES' HOSE, ... 25c

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ENGLISH SATEENS, in plain and fancy aolors, 10c

LADIES' AND MEN'S GAUZE UNDERWEAR, 25c

20-INCH BLACK SATIN PARASOLS, 6-inch deep Lace Trimmed, ... $2.25

100 SATIN PARASOLS, in Tan, Brown, Cardinal, Cream, Blue, Etc., Etc., ... $1.00

LACE CURTAINS, Superior Quality, Extra Length, per pair, ... $2.25

50 HONEYCOMB BED SPREADS, Extra Large, 75c

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, INFANTS' ROBES AND CASHMERE CLOAKS, FLOUNCINGS, CORSET COVERS, BATISTES, LAWNS, ORGANDIES, WHITE GOODS, LACES, EMBROIDERIES, CORSEES, GLOVES, MITTS, BOYS' WAISTS, FANS, Etc., Etc., at a

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JUNE 27, 1888.

NATIONAL REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President,
BENJAMIN HARRISON, of Indiana

For Vice President,
LEVI P. MORTOF, of New York

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Governor,
JOSEPH W. FIFER, of McLean County.

For Lieutenant Governor,
LYMAN B. RAY, of Grundy County.

For Secretary of State,
C. N. PEARSON, of McDonough County

For State Treasurer,
CHARLES BECKER, of St Clair County

For State Auditor,
C W PAVEY, of Jefferson County

For Attorney General,
GEORGE HUNT, of Edgar County

For Trustees of State University,
ALEX. McLEAN, F. M. McKAY, O. A. HARKER and J. A. BULLARD.

For Supreme Judge, Third District,
JACOB W. WILKIN, of Vermilion County.

For Circuit Judge,
E. P. VAIL, of Macon County

For Congress,
JONATHAN H. ROWELL, of McLean County.

Member of the Board of Equalization,
WILLIAM O. JONES, of Logan County.

Protection and the Farmer.

The farmer is especially interested in the maintenance of a policy that encourages the growth of manufactures in this country. His benefits from a protective tariff are two-fold. The number of those who consume farm products is increased without a corresponding increase in the number of farmers. Villages and cities make a profitable market for many products of the farm which [could not be exported. Hence the greater the number of consumers engaged in some non-competing business—such as mining, manufacturing and the mechanic arts—the broader the farmer's market; and the more that those thus employed can earn the better customers they are certain to become. Any policy tending to make the calling of these workers less attractive, by reducing their earnings or adding to their hardships, will induce some of them to become tillers of the soil and compel all of them to observe increased economy in purchasing the necessaries of life.

The free trade philosopher is accustomed to dismiss these facts with a wave of the same hand with which he points to his favorite refuge, "the markets of the world," ready to absorb the agricultural surplus of the country. The folly of such dependence becomes apparent when it is found that these convenient receptacles for the surplus of farm products, which the free trader's policy would entail, are already quite well supplied. The people of Europe will take no more wheat, corn, meat, etc., than necessity compels them to buy, and of these they will buy from America only what they can get here upon better terms than elsewhere. Of farm products except cotton and tobacco—but 8 per cent. now goes abroad, the home market consumes the remainder, and of this a large proportion could never be shipped a long distance from home, no matter how great the demand might be.

The preachers of free trade, who, like the London *Times*, "cannot rest while the United States are unsubdued," have addressed themselves especially to voting farmers. Not long since tons of pamphlets written by a member of the Cobden Club, and printed in London, were scattered throughout the Western states. In these our farmers were pictured as groaning down by extortions made possible by a protective tariff, which they were urged to throw off and demand free trade with the world as a panacea for all their ills. Upon the string thus attached to British interests free trade advocates have since steadily harped—until the question of reserving our home markets for the benefit of the people by whose energy they have been built up, or giving them over as a free gift to foreigners, has become the foremost issue in a Presidential Campaign! Should there be, can there be, any doubt as to the decision?

The States on the Pacific slope including Nevada and Colorado, return 7 protectionists and 1 free trader, the Northern States west of Pennsylvania return 43 free traders and 71 protectionists; the Northern States east of Pennsylvania return 33 free traders and 62 protectionists; the Southern States return 93 free traders and 14 protectionists. It is in the old rebel States that free trade heresy is most deeply rooted.

The Woman's Club Picnic.

The first picnic under the gracious and perfect management of the Woman's Club was given at Oakland park last evening after 4:30 o'clock. The ladies of the different sections had the affair in charge, all inviting their friends to join in the initial picnic supper. It was a broad "fit for the gods" and was served upon tables beneath the wooden pavilion. Fully 250 adults and children were guests of the club, but there was an abundance of food, splendid coffee, lemonade, cake and ice cream for all. On all sides words of praise were spoken by the gentlemen for the fine feast provided by the club, whose members know so well how to keep house and neglect none of their home duties while they have their meetings to discuss weighty questions affecting the development of women, mentally and otherwise. Several toasts were discussed by the gentlemen. Rev. Geo. E. Scrimger's topic was "Woman." He discussed the advancement and development of woman in general and paid high tribute to Harriett Beecher Stowe, Mary A. Livermore, Elizabeth Fry, Lucretia Mott, Madame DeStael, the political writer and novellist, Frances Willard, the embodiment of womanly grace and intelligence, Rosa Bonheur, Florence Nightingale, and other noble women who have made themselves famous in various walks of life, giving proof of the fitness of woman to march along side by side with man in art, politics, literature and other pursuits of life. The speaker pointed out where woman had been given rights in states and territories equal to those of men, and closed with a practical tribute to the fair sex, taking his seat amid general applause in which the ladies joined.

Equally happy responses were delivered by Dr. Vosburgh and Judge Nelson, the festivities continuing late into the morning.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE NOMINEES.

Mr. Blaine Expresses Himself as Well Pleased with the Ticket.

The First Ratification Meeting—Chauncey M. Depew in the Role of a Granger.

Mr. Morton Notified of His Nomination—General Harrison in Receipt of Congratulations.

Blaine on the Nomination.

LINLITHGOW, June 26.—Last evening, about six o'clock, the first dispatch giving the news of Harrison's nomination was received here. Just before this, Mr. Blaine and the Carnegie party had passed down through High street, under the escort of the Lord Provost, who had arranged to read the address of welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Carnegie. I followed the wailing military band down the gruesome street, up the hill, under a string of American flags, to the green grass plot about the old ruined palace where Queen Mary was born. It was here that Mr Blaine received the message telegraphed from New York. He had heard no word from Chicago, and being six hours behind in point of time, had no idea that the final result would reach him last evening. The guard at the wooden doors gave way very promptly when I said I had news for Mr. Blaine, and I walked across the court and came up to him as he was looking at one of the curious moldings in one of the principal doorways. I touched Mr. Blaine upon the arm to attract his attention. He turned, and his daughters leaned forward as if they anticipated very special news. As Mr Blaine looked at me inquiringly, I called out "Harrison is nominated on the eighth ballot."

Mr. Blaine smiled and bowed, and said, in a sound, hearty voice "It is a good nomination."

He then turned to continue showing Mrs. Carnegie the features of this great palatial ruin.

Mr. Blaine thought that it would not be civil to Mr Harrison to give out a telegram of congratulation to Mr. Harrison from this side, knowing full well that it would be promptly given out for publication upon its arrival. Beyond a dispatch of mere congratulation, Mr. Blaine did not care to add anything beyond his first phrase, "A good nomination." It was Sunday that I heard Mr Blaine talk more freely of Harrison. He then foreshadowed most clearly his nomination. He spoke of his (Harrison's) splendid record as a soldier, lawyer and statesman. His grandfather was President of the United States, and his great-grandfather was one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence. He made a good record as a protectionist, and there was nowhere a flaw in the record. All of this glowing talk came Sunday in connection with the expression of opinion that Harrison would probably be nominated.

After Mr. Blaine withdrew to write this dispatch, I asked Miss Dodge how she liked the nomination. She is a very sincere Republican, and, like all members of the Blaine party, very loyal to its head. She likes Mr. Harrison, but would have preferred Mr. Blaine.

The First Ratification Meeting—Depew's Funny Speech.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The first Harrison ratification meeting was held Monday night at the Grand Pacific. The gathering was an impromptu one, organized by Sidney Foster, of Iowa. The room had been used as the public headquarters for Senator Allison, as it was used four years ago for Mr. Blaine. Mr Foster had been in charge of those headquarters during the Allison campaign. He conceived the notion of inviting the Indiana people in to rally. Going over to the Indiana headquarters, he invited them to the Allison room, and the crowd marched down, headed by Mr. Foster, Ex-Congressman Poole, of Indiana; B. F. March and Long Jones, of Illinois, singing "John Brown's Body". The room was filled in less than two minutes, and was crowded to the door before Mr. Foster could mount the platform. In welcoming them, Mr. Foster said the Iowa people had come to Chicago to help nominate the man who should be the next President. He pledged the earnest support of Iowa, and 35,000 majority for the ticket. Speeches were also made by Congressmen Poole, of Indiana; Butterworth, of Ohio; Hepburn, of Iowa; Senator Hiscock, of New York; Ex-Governor Potter of Indiana; Chauncey M. Depew and others.

Mr. Depew's remarks provoked much laughter and applause. He said:

FELLOW GRANGERS—[Great laughter.] Nothing pleases me so much as to meet those intelligent farmers with whom I met and live, and whose occupation has been mine all my life. I inherited a farm when I was born, and I have raised enough off of it to pay the taxes on it. I had no trouble with the transportation companies because there was no surplus on the farm to transport. When you arrive at that condition trouble between the railways and the granger people will cease. [Laughter.] I never saw a convention so harmonious at its opening, so long continued and so harmonious at its close. When I had met the enemy and belonged to him I had the felicity of occupying a position seldom accorded to any one on this earth—I pronounced my own obituary. And I believe every corpse should pronounce his own obituary, because it knows better than any man living the virtues and vices of the deceased. [Laughter.] It is a strange sensation, though, to hear the gravel rattling upon your own coffin when you throw it in yourself.

But the Republican party has done with funerals. [A voice: "We'll have one for Grover."] Yes, we'll furnish a funeral for him, but we will furnish no more corpses from our own ranks. The result of the convention has been the best that could possibly be arrived at, and I say this with no reflection upon Senator Allison, Senator Sherman, nor upon the gallant soldier, General Alger, nor upon my friend, Judge Gresham, a man who in public and private life stand supreme among those who are considered the greatest and best.

Mr. Depew predicted, as did all the others, success for the ticket in November.

Mr. Morton Notified.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The *Herald* prints the following dispatch from Rhinebeck, N. Y. When Harrison's nomination for President became an assured fact, a reporter interviewed Mr. L. P. Morton, the New York banker, whose nomination for second place on the ticket then seemed assured.

"How do you regard Harrison's nomination?" queried the reporter.

"I regard General Harrison's nomination as the strongest that could have been made by the National Republican Convention. It will place Indiana in the Republican column, and with the Republican party in New York united, as it is to-day, I can not for a moment doubt a Republican victory in November. Beyond this expression regarding the effect of the nomination of General Harrison, you must excuse me from any further response to your questions."

At half-past nine o'clock the news of Levi P. Morton's nomination for the Vice-Presidency was received here. Almost in an instant the streets were filled with an enthusiastic crowd, and the boom of cannon and the rattle of fire-crackers resounded in every direction. "Levi P. Morton was nominated on the first ballot," rose the cry, and it was caught up like magic. Flags were thrust out to hang in listless folds in the humid air, and a brass band composed of local talent raised such a racket that residents of Rondout, three miles away across the Hudson, heard and knew the cause thereof.

The reporter was the first to apprise Mr. Morton of his nomination. That gentleman was sitting on the spacious verando in the rear of the Huntington mansion when the reporter mounted the broad steps leading to the entrance.

"Mr. Morton," said the reporter, "I may be the first to announce that you were nominated for Vice-President by the Republican Convention in Chicago on the first ballot."

"Is that so? Isn't that nice?" said Mrs. Morton, who was at his side in an instant. As he tore a telegram open, Mr. Morton's fingers trembled somewhat, but his face was as impassive as ever. After reading the telegram, which added assurance to what the reporter had already told him, the banker took an easy chair, and also asked the *Herald* reporter to sit down.

"May I ask if you will accept the nomination?"

"I certainly could not decline the nomination with which I have been honored by the representatives of the Republican party in convention assembled", was Mr. Morton's reply.

At this moment, prominent people from the vicinity began to flock in, and the nominee for Vice-President and his charming wife were overwhelmed with congratulations till late in the evening.

Harrison Congratulated.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 26.—General Harrison has been receiving telegrams and letters from all quarters and from many distinguished persons, besides the hundreds received last night. In response to a telegram received last night he today sent the following

Hon. Levi P. Morton, New York:

Thanks for your kind message. Let me assure you that the association of your name with mine upon the ticket gives me great satisfaction. BENJAMIN HARRISON.

General W. T. Sherman has wired the following to the nominee:

It is proper that I should assure you of my great confidence. You were true and faithful when we needed men of action. I believe you will be elected, and you may command me.

Ben Butterworth and Wm McKinley say to Harrison.

We have met you and we are yours.

Many specials from old soldiers, college-fraternity associates in the Phi Delta Theta, wool-growers and protectionists everywhere have been received. The pilgrimage to the Harrison homestead has already set in. Many State delegations are arriving. Preparations are being made for the reception tonight of the Chicago delegates who are coming by special train. Chairman Estee and the entire California delegation, together with six car-loads of others, are on their way. The reception will take place at the residence, where a temporary platform for speakers is being prepared. Electric lights are being placed in the yard. A ratification meeting will be held down town. The streets are given to the blare of horns and confusion. There is much decoration and no little enthusiasm.

Meeting of the Republican Committee of Notification.

CHICAGO, June 27.—The committee of notification of the Republican National convention, consisting of one representative from each State and Territory and the District of Columbia, met yesterday afternoon at the Leland Hotel in this city. Hon. M. M. Estee, chairman of the National convention and ex-official chairman of the committee, presided. Captain John C. Dougherty, of Tennessee, was chosen as secretary. On motion of Ex-Governor Routs, of Arkansas, it was decided that the committee should meet at the Bates House, Indianapolis, on July 4, at ten o'clock a. m., and that General Harrison should be officially informed of his nomination at twelve o'clock, noon, on that day. Not all the members of the committee were present at the meeting, but the secretary was directed to inform the absentees of the action taken. At the meeting at Indianapolis the committee will determine upon a time for the notification of Mr. Morton of his nomination for Vice-President. Captain Dougherty will leave for Indianapolis to-morrow to make arrangements for the meeting of the committee at that place.

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

Six Laborers Killed and Five Fatally Injured in a Rear-End Collision.

The Unfortunate Victims See Their Danger, but Are Too Much Frightened to Make Their Escape.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., June 27.—A fatal accident occurred at Cable City, a few miles north of here, at five o'clock yesterday evening, on the Pennsylvania railroad, in which six laborers on a gravel train were killed and five fatally wounded. The train hands of the gravel train escaped by jumping. A freight train from Sunbury, with more cars than it could place on one siding, was distributing cars on several tracks when a gravel train ran into its rear end. The cars of the freight train mounted the gravel train, and the laborers were crushed to death. Out of eleven laborers, one escaped uninjured. The bodies of four can not be recovered until the wreck is cleared. Medical aid was at once summoned from Shamokin in the hope of saving the lives of the injured, but several died before the surgeons arrived.

The names of the dead and injured can not as yet be learned. The laborers saw their danger in time to escape, but were so frightened that they were unable to move. It is said that the flagman of the freight train was not in position to flag the gravel train. The dead were brought here, and the injured taken to the miners' hospital.

General Sheridan's Condition.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—At nine o'clock last night General Sheridan's physicians issued the following bulletin:

General Sheridan's condition continues about the same as it has been for some days. It is proposed, unless an unfavorable change should occur, to remove him to his cottage at Nonquitt, Mass. It is possible that he will leave Washington on Thursday next, going by a vessel of the United States navy, which has been tendered by the secretary.

Will heard a young man remark that Barber & Baker had the nicest shoes in the city. Go and see them. a12-dtf

FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

POCKET BOOK FOUND—The undersigned found in the city a pocket-book containing a small amount of money and some papers. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this notice. S. M. LUTZ. jun 27-d6

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The Notification Committee Appointed by the National Democratic Convention

Wait Upon President Cleveland and Formally Apprise Him of His Renomination.

Chairman Collins and Mr. Jacobs, of Kentucky, Make Addresses—Mr. Cleveland's Reply.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—The notification committee appointed to give President Cleveland a formal notice of his nomination for President of the United States, accompanied by the members of the National committee, called at the Executive Mansion at two o'clock yesterday afternoon, and were ushered into the East room. This room was fragrant with the perfume of flowers, which were banked against the great mirrors, and from plants and flowers which were set against the walls. A hollow square was formed from west to east. Into this square the President came, followed by Mrs. Cleveland on the arm of Secretary Bayard. Among those present who witnessed a similar scene at Albany, N. Y., four years ago, were Rev. Wm. Cleveland, the President's brother, of Forestport, N. Y.; Mrs. W. E. Hoyt, of Fayetteville, N. Y., the President's sister; Colonel and Mrs. Lamont, and Mr. W. S. Bissell, of Buffalo. Others present to-day were Secretary and Mrs. Fairchild, Secretary and Mrs. Whitney, Secretary and Mrs. Endicott, Secretary Vilas, Postmaster-General and Mrs. Dickinson and Mr. Ben Folsom. Mrs. Cleveland stood by the side of Secretary Bayard. She was dressed in a light-colored close-fitting dress and her face was wreathed in smiles. The Cabinet officers and their ladies were in a line near her. The President stepped out into the square a few steps in front of his wife. He was dressed in a conventional Prince Albert coat with turned down collar, and looked serious.

Hon. Patrick Collins, ex-officio chairman of the notification committee, advanced a few steps forward, and in an earnest speech said:

MR CLEVELAND: We come as a committee authorized and instructed by the National Democratic convention, recently held in St Louis, to convey formal notice of its action in naming you for the office of President of the United States during the next four years. It would ill become the occasion in your presence to express at length the full meaning and significance of that great assembly. Its expression will be found and heard elsewhere, and otherwise from now until that day in November when this free and intelligent people will record their approval of your great service as Chief Magistrate. We beg to congratulate you upon this hearty and unanimous indorsement of your course as President by the historic party to which all the days of your manhood you have belonged and to congratulate the country upon the assured continuance of your wise, just and patriotic administration. I take pleasure in presenting the Hon Charles D Jacob, of Kentucky.

Mr Collins' speech was received with applause. Hon. Mr. Jacob, of Kentucky, chairman of the notification committee, then advanced. His delivery was graceful. He said

To Honorable Grover Cleveland, of New York—

SIR: The delegates to the National Democratic convention representing every State and Territory of our Union, having assembled in the city of St. Louis on June 5, last, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of President and Vice President of the United States, it has become the honorable and pleasing duty of this committee to formally announce to you that, without a ballot you were, by acclamation, chosen as the standard bearer of the Democratic party for the Chief Executiveship of this country, at the election to be held in November next. Great as is such a distinction under any circumstances, it is the more flattering and profound when it is remembered that you have been selected as your own successor to an office, the duties of which, always onerous, have been rendered of an extraordinarily sensitive, difficult and delicate nature because of a change of political parties and methods after twenty four years of uninterrupted domination. This exaltation is, if possible, added to by the fact that the declaration of principles—based upon your last annual message to the Congress of the United States relative to a tariff reduction and a diminution of the expenses of the Government—throws down the direct and defiant challenge "for an exacting scrutiny of the administration of the executive power, which four years ago was committed in its trust to the election of Grover Cleveland President of the United States, and for the most searching inquiry concerning its fidelity and devotions to the pledges which then invited the suffrages of the people."

An engrossed copy of that platform, adopted without a dissenting voice, is hereby tendered you. In conveying, sir, to you the responsible trust which has been confided to them, this committee beg, individually and collectively, to express the great pleasure which they have felt at the results attending the National convention of the Democratic party, and to offer to you their best wishes for official and personal success and happiness. We have the honor, sir, to be your obedient servants

JOHN H CALDWELL, Alabama,
W D ENGLISH, Arkansas,
CASSEMIRO BARNED, California,
W H BARNUM, Connecticut,
JOHN H THRELKT, Georgia,
JOHN S EWING, Illinois,
A W CONDUIT, Indiana,
W W BALDWIN, Iowa,
S F NEELEY, Kansas,
CHAS D JACOB, Kentucky,
JOHN FITZPATRICK, Louisiana,
W R BLACK, Maine,
W S WILSON, Maryland,
CHAS D LEWIS, Massachusetts,
THOS F MCGARRY, Michigan,
JOHN M ALLEN, Mississippi,
JOHN LUDWIG, Minnesota,
JASPER N BURKE, Missouri,
JAMES S MOONEY, Nevada,
G BYRON CHANDLER, N H,
SOLOMON SHEP, New York,
THOMAS W STRANG, N C,
M V. REAM, Ohio
M S HELMAN, Oregon,
R S PATTERSON, Pennsylvania,
ISAAC BELL, Rhode Island,
W H PIPE, Texas,
BASIL GORDON, Virginia,
J D HARRAHAN, Vermont,
WM DICKSON, Dist of Columbia

Mr. Thomas Petit, secretary of the committee, then handed the President a handsomely engrossed copy of the platform upon which he was nominated.

The President bowed his acknowledgments. Standing erect with head thrown back, with but few gestures, but with an earnestness that was impressive, and an enunciation that was deliberate and clear, he replied. The audience drank in each word as it slowly flowed from his lips. He said

I can not but be profoundly impressed when I see about me the messengers of the National Democracy, bearing its summons to duty. The political party to which I owe allegiance both honors and commands me. It places in my hand its proud standard and bids me bear it high at the front, in a battle which it wages bravely, because conscious of right; confidently, because its trust is in the people, and soberly, because it comprehends the obligations which success imposes. [Applause.] The message which you bring awakens within me the liveliest sense of gratitude and satisfaction; and the honor which you tender me is in itself so great that there might well be no room for any other sentiment, and yet I can not rid myself of grave and serious thoughts when I remember that party supremacy is not alone involved in the conflict which presses upon us, but that we struggle to secure and save the cherished institutions, the welfare and the happiness of a nation of freemen.

Familiarity with the great office which I hold has but added to my apprehension of its sacred character and the consecration demanded of him who assumes its immense responsibilities. It is the repository of the people's will and power. Within its vision should be the protection and welfare of the humblest citizen, and with quick ear it should catch from the remotest corner of the land the plea of the people for justice and for right. For the sake of the people, he who holds this office of theirs, should resist every encroachment upon its legitimate functions; and for the sake of the integrity and usefulness of the office, it should be kept near to the people and be administrated in full sympathy with their wants and needs. This occasion reminds me most vividly of the scene when, four years ago, I received a message from my party, similar to that which you now deliver. With all that has passed since that day, I can truly say that the feeling of awe with which I heard the summons then, is intensified many fold when it is repeated now. Four years ago I knew that our chief executive office, if not carefully guarded, might drift little by little away from the people to whom it belonged, and become a perversion of all it ought to be; but I did not know how much its moorings had already been loosened. [Applause.] I knew four years ago how well devised were the principles of true, Democracy for the successful operation of the Government by the people and for the people, but I did not know then how absolutely necessary their application was for the restoration to the people of their safety and prosperity. I knew then that abuses and extravagances had crept into the management of public affairs, but I did not know their numerous forms nor the tenacity of their grasp. I knew then something of the bitterness of partisan obstruction, but I did not know how bitter, how reckless and how shameless it could be. [Great applause.] I knew, too, that the American people were patriotic and just, but I did not know how greatly they loved their country nor how noble and generous they were. [Applause.] I shall not dwell upon the acts and the policy of the Administration now drawing to its close. Its record is open to every citizen of the land. And yet, I will not be denied the privilege of asserting at this time, that in the exercise of the functions of the high trust confided to me, I have yielded obedience only to the Constitution and the solemn obligation of my oath of office. [Tremendous applause.] I have done those things which, in the light of the understanding God has given me, seemed most conducive to the welfare of my countrymen and the promotion of good government. I would not if I could for you avoid a single consequence of a fair interpretation of my course. [Applause.] It but remains for me to say to you, and through you to the Democracy of the Nation, that I accept the nomination with which they have honored me, and that I will in due time signify such acceptance in the usual formal manner.

The members of the committee were then introduced to the President. After a few moments spent in pleasant conversation the committee was invited to lunch in the private dining room, where Mrs. Cleveland presided with becoming grace.

After lunch the committee was taken charge of by a committee of the Columbia Democratic Club and driven around to the many attractive points in the city, and at five o'clock embarked on the steamer Corcoran for a trip to Mount Vernon.

New York Prohibitionists in State Convention.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., June 27.—The Prohibition State convention opened at the Alhambra Rink, in this city, yesterday. Frank E. Baldwin, of Elmira, was made temporary chairman. The committee on credentials reported 103 regular delegates to the convention, and twenty-three Woman's Christian Temperance Union delegates. W. Jennings Demorest, of New York, G. K. Powell, of Chatham, and B. J. Lossing, of Poughkeepsie, are the most prominent candidates for the nomination for Governor. After selecting the State central committee, the convention adjourned till to-day. A great mass meeting was held last night.

THE FIFTIETH CONGRESS.

(First Session.)

SENATE

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Mr. Plumb gave notice of an amendment to the Sundry Civil Appropriation bill, forbidding the purchase for National soldiers' homes of products of convict labor, in the shape of material or supplies.

The Senate took up the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill. The only question that created discussion was that relating to renting buildings in Washington for the use of the Government. Mr. Edmunds saying that it would be cheaper for the Government to erect than to rent buildings.

Mr. Allison agreed with him, but said that the House prevented such action.

After further discussion the bill was passed.

The conference report on the Wichita (Kas.) public building bill was agreed to.

A message was received from the President vetoing the bill granting a pension to the widow of John Turley. Turley, in endeavoring to quell an affray between two fellow soldiers, was knocked overboard from a transport and drowned. The President does not think that Turley met his death in the performance of military duty.

Mr. Edmunds thought the man was clearly in the line of duty, and wanted to dispose of the bill now, but as there was no quorum present the Senate without action, at 9:10 p. m., adjourned.

HOUSE

The House spent most of the day in discussing the Land bill.

The House refused to concur in the Senate amendments to the Natchez (Miss.) Public Building bill, and a conference was ordered.

The House then resumed consideration of the Public Land bill.

An amendment was adopted, allowing entrymen six months (instead of three) in which to erect a habitable dwelling.

A long discussion ensued over an amendment reserving title in the Government to alternate strips of public land along water courses and the seashore.

Mr. McAdoo favored it and condemned the system of control over thousands of acres of land by Englishmen by securing access to the water. The amendment was rejected, and without action on the bill the House, at 5:30 p. m., adjourned.

Love and Gunpowder.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Joseph Seafford, hall-boy in a fashionable boarding house Nos. 135 and 137 West Fourth street, shot and killed Rosie Sheridan, the assistant cook, yesterday morning, and then fired a bullet into his own brain, inflicting a mortal wound. He had conceived a violent passion for the girl, which the latter repeled.

Knocked Out by a Blow on the Jugular.

NEW YORK, June 27.—Frank Flynn, of Brooklyn, and D. Leary, of Philadelphia, fought nine rounds near Haverstraw early yesterday morning for a purse of $400. Flynn won by landing on Leary's jugular, knocking him out.

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AWFUL DESTRUCTION.

Further Particulars of the Damage Wrought by the Late Floods in Mexico.

CITY OF MEXICO, June 27.—Telegraphic communication having been restored between Leon and Silayo, on the line of the Mexican Central railway, particulars of the terrible flood that occurred in that district have been obtained. A telegram from Silayo says: "It commenced raining on the 18th instant, and continued a heavy downpour for twenty-four hours. About three hundred and twenty-five houses have been destroyed. The station buildings are occupied by homeless people, who are unable to obtain any thing to eat except watermelons and fruit found floating in the water. Several dykes have given way, and the whole country around is flooded. At Leon, on the night of the 18th, the people, believing themselves safe from the flood, went to bed in those parts of the town where the water had not found its way. The flood increased during the night; houses tumbled in rapidly, and as the buildings fell the unfortunate sleepers were either crushed to death or drowned. The rain continued incessantly until Wednesday, the 20th instant, and it is estimated that fully seven hundred persons perished. One hundred and eleven bodies have been recovered without moving any ruins of houses, wherein are supposed to be hundreds of bodies buried. The total number of houses destroyed is estimated at two thousand, and the pecuniary loss at $3,000,000.

Grain In Store in Chicago.

Weekly Statement, compiled from the books of the State Warehouse Registrar, showing the amount, in bushels, of each kind of grain in store in the Public Warehouses of Chicago at the close of business on

SATURDAY, June 23, 1888.

Kind of Grain	Increase during week	Decrease during week	Total amount in store	Am't in storage time last year
Wheat	31,129		4,848,081	14,499,421
Corn	443,383		7,415,978	4,548,491
Oats		33,574	1,491,271	925,455
Rye		10,629	38,134	86,650
Barley		2,810	35,402	13,230
Total	474,512	346,943	13,828,866	20,062,225

Net increase during the week 127,470 bushels.

J. W. BURST,
Warehouse Registrar.

CHARLES WIETEL has sold out his saloon on Merchant street and bought the finely furnished saloon on Prairie street, second door east of the post office, where he would be pleased to see all his old friends and many new ones. 11-d1m

I., D. & W. Railway.

Excursion rates on the certificate plan have been granted to persons desiring to attend the following meetings: Music Teachers' National Convention at Chicago, July 3d to 7th, Ancient Order United Woodmen at Louisville, June 19th to 28th, Young People's Christian Endeavor of America at Chicago, July 4th and 5th, Illinois Grain Merchant's Association at Springfield, June 26th to 28th. Rate of One Fare for round trip will be made to Cincinnati, on account of the opening of the Centennial Exposition, July 3d and 4th, tickets good returning up to July 7th. C. G. DORWIN, General Agent I., D. & W. Railway. 26 d6t

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Our Garnet Sale for 1888 will open June 5, and last Ten Days.

Largest Line of Goods ever shown, and at the usual prices, but the sale will POSITIVELY close June 15.

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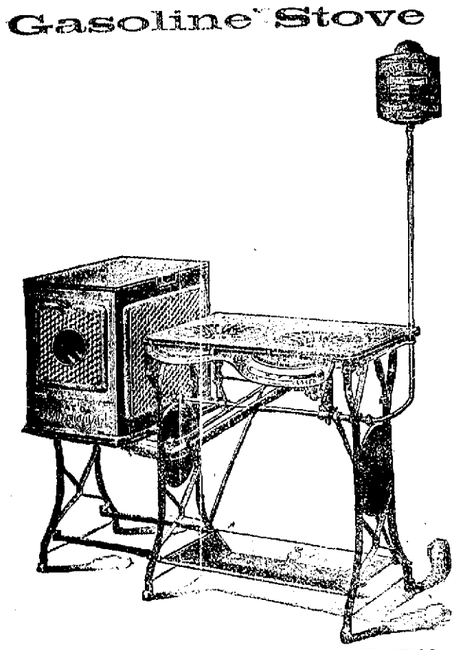

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French Kid Oxford Ties, with Pat. Leather Tips, worth $3.50, now selling at $2.75.

Very finest Dongola Operas, (Toe Slippers,) worth $3.00, selling at $2.25.

Red Slippers very nice, Oxfords, $2.50. New Line just received.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JUNE 27, 1888.

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We will make

GREAT REDUCTION

In the Price of

Quaker City Preserves, JAMS AND JELLIES.

These goods are scarcely equaled, and are made entirely of *Fruit and Sugar.*

DINGES & CLOYD.

LOCAL NEWS.

WATER COOLERS, from $1.75 to $4.50 each, at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

SEE the *Decatur.*

NEXT comes the county Republican convention.

WHEN do we go over to Indianapolis to pay our respects to Ben?

USE the popular White Loaf family flour. It has no superior.

THE Linn & Scruggs and Bradley Bros. nines had another struggle at the ball park last evening.

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THE Sangamon river is out of its banks in many places. It rises a foot in two hours.

SELECT fine berries, fresh butter and vegetables at Moore Bros.' store in Opera block.

SEE the *Decatur.*

THE jury in Justice Curtis court last evening assessed a fine of $25 and costs against John Anasene for keeping his saloon open on Sunday.

SEE the *Decatur.*

DECATUR may have a winning ball team yet, with Al. Morgan as manager. Possibly Decatur will be in the Inter-State League again and there may be two games at the ball park on July 4th.

"FLASHLIGHT" Photos; very fine. GEO. A. HENDERSON. Tel. 7. [26-d2m

FRED. J. SMITH is now a retail merchant, having sold his grocery store on North Main street to a Springfield man. He will have no further use for a store of any kind until next spring, when in all probability he will be in the field for a local office.

TELL your grocer to send you the celebrated White Foam and Domestic flour.

THE prohibition convention of delegates from the five counties of the Fourteenth district was held at Clinton Tuesday and nominated A. F. Smith, of the Decatur *Sentinel*, for congress, and J. B. Gaston, of Bloomington, for member of the State Board of Equalization.

STEP in at J. Lytle & Co.'s grocery store and select fruits and other choice table supplies. Fresh butter a specialty.

THERE will be one million more voters this presidential election than last, and it is reasonably estimated that two-thirds of these votes will go to the Republican party, forty thousand of which are located in New York. These voters do not come from the foreign element but are largely American born.

DID you see the little Gems at Cheap Charley's? daw

TRUNKS delivered to any place in the city—15 cents. 10-Cent Package Delivery. Telephone 314. Office 229 North Water St. june27-d1mo

NO TROUBLE to show the oil stoves, lawn mowers and refrigerators on sale at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

CALL up Niedermeyer on the Mound for first-class groceries, delivered to any part of the city.

THERE will be a Fourth of July celebration at Burrows' Grove, five miles southeast of Decatur and one mile southeast of Antioch church, under the direction of members and friends of the M. E. church at Mt. Zion, Ill. Fine band and vocal music. Excellent speakers. Everybody invited. Commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

A FULL line of desirable berries and vegetables every day on sale at Knode & Osborne's grocery store.

A BEAUTIFUL nickel and steel button hook given away with every pair Ladies' fine Shoes, that cost $3.00 or more per pair, at Powers & Haworth's. jun26-dtf

CALL on Hanks & Patterson. There you will find superior groceries and fruits.

The Circuit Court.

Judge Hughes waded through the chancery docket this morning at a rapid rate. This afternoon the Daly case will be heard.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

George W. Bright and Henry Flood vs. Orville Ewing; injunction. Bill dismissed for want of prosecution.

A. W. Conklin, admr., et al vs. George Priest et al; chancery. Leave to complainant to make James Mifflin party defendant.

Mary J. Carter vs. Benj. P. Carter; divorce. Suit dismissed for want of practice.

James C. Carter et al vs. E. Carter et al; partition. Rule on complainant to answer by second Monday in September and continued.

Sadie J. Brewer vs. A. O. Brewer; divorce and injunction. Suit dismissed for want of prosecution.

A. Wait vs. John Lindsay, et al; foreclosure. Exceptions to master's report overruled and sale approved. Stricken. Exceptions to ruling of court by defendant.

Luvanca and W. F. Ferris vs. The Covenant Mutual Benefit Association of Illinois; chancery. Stricken with leave to reinstate.

John W. Tyler vs. Mary E. Whitehouse; chancery. Death of complainant suggested, and leave to make administrator and heirs complainants; continued.

O. A. Browning & Co. vs. Eliza J. and F. A. Sites and J. H. Kabrick; foreclosure. Continued.

Albert Conover et al vs. John Conover; chancery. Stricken.

Christanna McDaniel vs. R. A. McDaniel; divorce. Dismissed for want of prosecution.

A. O. Keagy vs. W. F. Elder et al; injunction. Bill dismissed as to J. B. Camp; decree pro confesso as to other defendants.

Samuel Leonard et al vs. Charles E. Hunsley, William Elder and Jackson Crum; injunction. Dismissed by complainant.

Z. Boughn vs. L. R. and Anna B. Morse; foreclosure. Dismissed.

J. B. Z. Taylor vs. Harry S. Clark et al; partition. Continued for service.

Sarah J. Burgess vs. Charles A. Tuttle et al; foreclosure. Commissioner's report approved and stricken.

Emma Tolbert vs. James Tolbert; divorce. Answer withdrawn and decree granted.

James W. Burrows et al, ex parte; chancery. Report of commissioners approved.

Declared Insane.

In the county court, this forenoon, Samuel K. Shaffer, aged 58 years, a well known citizen in good circumstances, was declared insane by a jury. His malady has continued for two years, but the jury failed to assign the cause of the disease, no cause being known. The jurymen were Dr. Heil, Jesse Leforgee, M. Stafford, J. M. Rainey, D. L. Hughes, Z. W. Harris, Wm. Cummings, Milton Bivans, R. M. McCoy, Sol. Stine, A. Wait and D. C. Moffitt. The petition for the investigation was filed by Frances Trowbridge, and the witnesses were Paul Smith, Sarah Smith, W. J. Chenoweth, Emma Hess and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ellis. Mr. Shaffer was not excited during the investigation. He remained quiet all the time. He will be taken to Jacksonville in a few days.

A Crazy Husband.

Mrs. Mary E. Kersey, hailing from Lebanon, Ind., has been in Decatur two days trying to find her husband, who is charged with having deserted her and her three children three weeks ago to fly to Decatur with an Indianapolis woman, whom it is alleged he married here not long ago. Mr. Kersey is a barber and has been conducting a shop on East Main street, where Mrs. Kersey found the Indianapolis woman, but failed to clap her eyes on her husband. It is believed he has fled. Mrs. Kersey thinks her husband is insane, and she will try to have him arrested on an insanity charge. Perhaps he will be prosecuted for bigamy. Kersey owned a $400 barber shop at Lebanon.

THERE will be a meeting to organize a volunteer drum corps as an auxiliary to the Decatur Republican Escort Club, at the general offices of the Terre Haute & Peoria Railroad in Masonic Temple this evening, at 7:30 sharp. All young Republicans who can go into this organization are requested to be present. It is expected that the Escort Club will be much larger and better than four years ago, and at least 40 young drummers are desired.

MARRIAGE licenses were issued to-day to Jay Walter, of Sioux City, Iowa, and Miss Lena Henkle, of Decatur; to John W. Burrows and Miss Mollie Kearney, of St. Louis, and to John H. Johnson, of Piatt county, and Miss Cora Housman, of Macon county.

THIS section has been visited by repeated heavy rains since Tuesday night.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Miss Grace Baldwin is entertaining her friend, Miss Eva Chapman, of St. Louis.

Prof. John T. Bowles, late principal of the Jasper Street School, will teach next year at DeKalb, Ill.

Misses Byda Love and Ossie Rankin are at Champaign, visiting Miss Alice Penny.

Judge Smith was on the appellate bench at Ottawa last week. He is now at Minneapolis, Minn.

Mrs. J. F. Hughes, of Mattoon, is at the St. Nicholas. She came over from Tuscola last night with the Judge.

Dr. Ira N. Barnes and son, Lynn, departed last evening for San Francisco and other far western points. They go on a pleasure trip.

Rev. T. D. Weems paid the REPUBLICAN a call this forenoon in company with Rev. Wilder. Rev. Weems is shouting for Harrison.

Galesburg *Gazette:* Will Andress is the proud father of a 10 pound baby boy. It arrived to-day at 5 a. m., and the printer may here truthfully make use of his stereotype that "mother and child are doing well."

Hiram Haynes, of Terre Haute, is in the city visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ed. Dillehunt. He says Vigo county and the state of Indiana will give Ben Harrison a rousing majority, in November, such as no other Republican candidate has ever received. "Ben's all right."

Miss Mary G. Armentrout, daughter of Rev. A. C. Armentrout, a young lady well known in this community, and Joseph L. Casner, a dry goods merchant at Virginia, Ill., were married at Moawequa last night, Rev. W. H. Wilder, of Decatur, officiating. It was a church wedding with several hundred people present.

Mrs. J. A. Close arrived home this morning from Maryland, coming through Indianapolis, where she found a grand Harrison demonstration in progress, the California and 200 other delegates visiting the city to call on the distinguished nominee. At a distance the city looked as if it was on fire.

Mr. and Mrs. James Millikin arrived home last night from Chicago. Mr. Millikin was one of the delegates from the 14th congressional district to the National Republican Convention. He was a strong Gresham man, but failing to get his choice, he was for the man whom the doubtful states would agree upon as the standard-bearer. Therefore, on the last ballot, he was one of the four Illinois delegates who voted for Harrison.

The Phil. Blenz Market.

Phil. Blenz is now in business for himself, permanently located at 229 Opera block, first door north of the entrance, John Zeller's old stand. Everybody knows genial Phil. He invites the public generally to give him a call. Fresh and smoked meats in great variety every day. Go yourself or send the children. All will receive the best the market affords. 27-d6

Vocal Music and Elocution.

On Thursday, June 28th, I shall organize the following classes:

At 2:30 p. m., Chorus Class for children.
At 3:30 p. m., Voice Culture for adults.
At 4:30 p. m., a Class in Elocution for school teachers, lawyers, ministers and all who wish to speak or read well.

At the First M. E. church. Come and see my methods and learn terms.

L. L. CROSTHWAIT.

Black Diamonds To-Night.

The comedy drama to-night at the opera house will be "Black Diamonds," a play of absorbing interest, which the Switzer-Hamilton company will present with all its attractive features. The performance went smoothly last night. Go this evening. Prices—10, 20 and 30 cents.

Removal.

Dr. A. J. Roe will, on Monday, July 2, remove from over the postoffice to his new quarters in the Roberts building, on the south side of the New Square, No. 247 South Park street. The Doctor will occupy the entire second floor, which will be fitted up in first-class style, with separate apartments for ladies. The rooms will be fully equipped with all the latest improved appliances for the successful treatment of all chronic and nervous diseases.

There will be no need hereafter to go to Chicago in order to secure the benefit to be derived from the use of the Electric Vapor Bath, Static Electricity, or any of the other improved methods of treatment usually to be found only in the medical institutes in the large cities. Everyone is invited to call and examine these improved appliances and judge for themselves. 27-dawlw

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HARRISON AND MORTON.

The Republicans Meet and Ratify the Ticket—A Parade and Old Time Enthusiasm.

Band Music, Glee Club Songs and Spirited Speeches.

The brief notice given of the Republican ratification meeting, brought out a big crowd of enthusiastic people last night to join in the first demonstration of the 1888 campaign. It was a splendid starter. Goodman's Band played selections in front of the court house, and quite unexpectedly a procession was formed with Capt. J. A. Barnes in command, the cheering procession moving around past the post office to Lincoln Square, when about 500 people were in line, four abreast. Passing the St. Nicholas three hearty cheers were given for Harrison and Morton and the old flag, the crowd on the sidewalk joining in the shouts. Everybody was feeling good and the small boys were in clover. Members of the Young Men's Republican Club wore small flags that were presented by Newt Davis, and President Heilman and Walter Colladay carried a large flag, in front of which marched J. A. Close, G. M. Wood, D. C. Shockley, Jason Rogers, G. R. Steele, Phil Vogel and other members of the old guard. There was no let up to the shouting all along the route, and when the people crowded into the court house, where the meeting was held, three ringing cheers were given for the ticket. There were fully 1,000 people in the court room. The aisles were crowded, and quite a number could not gain an entrance. A larger or more thoroughly enthusiastic demonstration has not been witnessed in Decatur at the opening of a campaign for many years. The speech-making was wholly informal, but all had the true, Republican ring, and the applause was of the most patriotic and generous character.

Capt. John A. Barnes called the meeting to order, and State's Attorney Mills was elected chairman. He delivered a stirring speech. He said:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—I didn't come here with any expectation that I should be called upon to make a speech, much less that I should be called upon to preside. I came here simply to take part in a humble way in the ratification of the nomination by the national Republican convention of Harrison and Morton. It was my good fortune to be present during most of the sessions of the convention. I had my favorite, but having heard the situation discussed by the foremost Republicans from all sections of the country, I feel that the convention did its work well and that it could not have given us a ticket which would have given greater promise of success. I was for Gresham, but I thank God it doesn't require the nomination of an adopted son of Illinois to bring success to the Republican party. When New York and Indiana and California gave their united support to Harrison and Morton, there was no question of the expediency and propriety of the nomination of the men who will carry our standards in this campaign. Harrison and Morton embody the principles of the Republican party. [Cheers] Harrison, the scholar, the soldier and statesman! In every position of life he has conducted himself with credit to himself and his state. He won eminence as a lawyer and fame as a soldier. In the hour of the nation's peril he shouldered his musket and marched to the front, where he gallantly fought for the preservation of the Union. The war over, he returned to his home and again took up the pursuits of peace. He resumed the practice of law, but he was soon called upon to represent the people of his state in the halls of Congress, where his services won for him the confidence of his party at large and made him one of its trusted leaders. Our ticket is worthy of support. I have not found one Republican who refuses to support it. * * * * The fight between the parties this yer will be a fight of principles. Personalities will not enter into it. We have brought the Democrats to an issue. They will have something to do this campaign besides throw mud at our candidates. One issue is that represented by the flag and bandana. The flag represents all that we have been and are now, and it represents our hopes for the future. The bandana is a little dirty rag at best and represents nothing worthy of support. [Applause] Do you think that for it the American people will insult the stars and stripes? Never. We go into the fight without excuses or apologies. We go into it as champions of the cause of American industry, and believe that our efforts to rebuke Cleveland for his attempt to paralize our industries and build up those of Great Britain will be successful. We are, I tell you, going to wage a successful fight. Our candidates come from states which have been regarded as doubtful, but their nomination makes these states Republican strongholds. Any man who cannot support our ticket and platform is not a Republican. If you find any man who is against either, set him down as a Democrat. But I did not come here to talk. I thank you for your attention and for the honor you have done me this evening. [Great applause.]

Song—"America," by the Glee Club, Messrs. Newt Davis, John Goding, Will Muzzy, Budge Brown, W. J. Gilkeson, Bert Savage, John Flas and John Simonson.

Dr. J. T. Hubbard, who served in Gen. Harrison's old regiment, the 70th Indiana, was called out by the chairman. He is an orginal Harrison man and of course heartily endorsed the nomination.

J. R. Moeser was called for. He was forced to the stand where he declared with emphasis that since the nomination of Harrison and Morton there are now no doubtful states. We will carry every one of them. [Prolonged cheering.]

Hon. Jason Rogers was received with enthusiastic applause as he arose in response to repeated calls. He said:

Many Republicans feared that our convention would not make good selections, but after a careful survey of the situation I have concluded that no mistake was made. Harrison and Morton are able men and worthy of our cordial support. No Republican can find just excuse to falter and fall out of ranks when such a newspaper as the Chicago *Times* says that Harrison is a good man. Of course Harrison was not the choice of all of us before the convention met, but a convention is safer to follow than individuals. Depew makes a good railway president, but he isn't the man for the first place on our ticket. California wanted Blaine, but California will support Harrison. Blaine indorses our ticket, he is in accord with the platform and our leaders, and all Blaine men can work earnestly and enthusiastically for success. Some Republicans are a little cool now, but they will come up to the work when the battle is fairly opened and do their duty. We are fighting now to determine whether we shall pay our workingmen fair wages or pay them nothing; whether the American system which we call protection shall survive, or whether free-trade shall rule. The Republicans are for the American system always. We shall carry California and Indiana, and believe that we shall also carry New York and all doubtful states. Our ticket shows that we respect the soldier. The veterans and the business men of the country are with us. We have only to put our shoulders to the wheel and win. The Democrats feel jubilant, of course, over their victory in 1884, and are confident they shall win again; but the victory of four years ago was but a scratch. Burchard saved them. There will be no Burchard in 1888. [Lively applause.]

Song by the Glee—"Those War Flags, Return Them if You Please."

R. P. Lytle called out R. G. Wells as the representative of the working-men. Mr. Wells is a good talker, but he was taken by surprise; nevertheless he mounted the platform amid general applause and delivered an earnest talk substantially as follows:

He said that four years ago Blaine and Logan were defeated because 1200 men failed to do their duty; but he did not believe that the country would again go back on the party which had made it what it was. The Republican party was the party of the Union. The Democratic party represented disunion. No better party than the Republican party ever will exist. The success the Democrats have achieved is due to their adoption of Republican principles. The Republican party is the epitome of all that is grand and good. The speaker extolled the protective tariff, and said that the workingmen had attained under it the highest degree of prosperity they had ever enjoyed. In conclusion he said: "When cotton was king, free-trade was the Democratic war cry. Well, cotton is no longer king, but if the Democrats are still wedded to free-trade, we will give them a little in the way of free whisky." [Applause.]

Cyrus M. Imboden, who has been a Blaine man for several campaigns, and earnestly desired his renomination, was called out in a humorous way by the chairman, and was greeted with rounds of applause, but Cy was unmoved. He smiled at the greeting and said:

The convention just closed has in the selection of our candidates exercised good judgment and rare wisdom. The ticket is one that meets with a hearty endorsement and one that will be loyally supported by all Republicans throughout the land. We stand to-day a united party. Our differences, if any existed, are of the past. Factional strifes have been forgotten. Our ranks are closed up, and we present to the enemy an unbroken and determined front. We are ready for the fight, and if we but remain true to the principles of Republicanism, victory will be ours. Let us, therefore, move forward with Harrison, Morton and Fifer in command, the uplifted standard of protection to home industry in one hand, and the flag in the other, thereby compelling the opposing forces to retire in confusion as the Republican hosts march on in triumph. [Applause.]

After repeated calls D. S. Shellabarger arose and said he was well pleased with the nomination and would support the ticket heartily. If we are faithful as Republicans we must succeed. There are no doubtful states in the North. He could see no good reason why the Democrats should succeed. It is certainly not the interest of the workingman to vote the Democratic ticket. [Applause.]

Supervisor Hiram Johnson in response to enthusiastic calls arose and excused himself from delivering an address, as he did not lay any claim to oratory.

W. A. Van Leer, a resident of Macon county for 33 years, was called out. He delivered a brief speech, ridiculing Democratic claims and notions and declared himself highly pleased with the Republican ticket.

I. N. Coltrin was the last speaker. He was received with shouts of pleasure as it is known that he is a native of Hoosierdom and will do his share of marching this campaign. He said: "I'm from Terre Haute.

When asked what state he hails from,
Our sole reply shall be:
He comes from Indiany
And we're for the nominee."

This poetical flight of the Professor provoked clapping of hands and shouts all through the crowd. Proceeding he said: "The only question in this contest is whether 250 pounds of Buffalo beef with 152 electoral votes from the solid south can beat us. [Cries of 'No!' 'Not much!'] I can excuse an old man who has been raised a Democrat and who votes the Bourbon ticket, but I have no excuse whatever for some young men who go prowling around yelling for Cleveland.' [General laughter and applause.] Mr. Coltrin said he would postpone his speech on the tariff and the bloody shirt. He would deliver them at Nip Tight (six miles in the country), but there would be no occasion for the people to go there as the remarks could be heard in Decatur. In closing the speaker alluded to the temperance resolution passed by the National convention. He heartily endorsed that action, for everybody endorsed sobriety and temperance. [Applause.]

The meeting closed with three enthusiastic cheers for the ticket, the people getting home just before the rain storm came up. The meeting was a hummer all through, and indicates that the Republicans of Decatur are alive and ready for an aggressive campaign.

GOV. OGLESBY ON THE TICKET.

Tuesday night at Springfield Governor Oglesby addressed a large crowd of ratifying Republicans who called at the Executive Mansion. The Governor said:

The nominations mean that this year we are to have a direct contest between the two parties on issues which cannot be misunderstood. It is highly becoming and proper that the Republicans of Springfield should lead off with a hearty endorsement of this ticket. Well do I remember the days of 1860, and how nobly then the great state of Indiana responded to the call when the people of Illinois asked its assistance in nominating and electing Abraham Lincoln. Among the brilliant galaxy of men from Indiana were Oliver P. Morton, General Porter and the gallant Harrison who to-day is honored by being chosen as the leader of the great Republican party. It is high time that Illinois reciprocated the political hospitality which the great state of Indiana has shown it in the past. Let us send most cordial greeting to our sister state and let it be telegraphed far and wide that Illinois remembers the generous assistance given it by Indiana in the support of Lincoln, and from its state capital Illinois gives assurance that next election day will find it in line for Harrison and Morton with from 35,000 to 40,000 majority. Gentlemen, this visit from you is unexpected. It is not opportune that I should say now all I hope to say in the future. Allow me to express my hearty endorsement of this ticket, and my gratification at this spontaneous uprising of loyal Republicans in the capital city of Illinois, thus testifying that the hearts of the people in the state are in full sympathy with the ticket.

YESTERDAY morning a negro was promptly lynched at Charleston for committing a dastardly outrage on the person of Mary A. Bingardiner, a young girl of 16 from the vicinity of Altamont. The girl had gone to Mattoon on a train, arriving there in the night, when Moore representing himself as a Dole House porter enticed her to a secluded spot and committed the deed. He was taken from the Charleston jail by a body of men and hanged to the frame of the water tank.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, Secretary Decatur Grain Co.:

WHEAT—80¼ June; 80⅝ July; 80⅛ Aug; 80⅝ Sep.

CORN—49 June; 49 July; 49¾ Aug; 50⅝ Sep.

OATS—31¾ June; 31¼ July; 26⅝ Aug; 25⅞ Sep.

PORK—$13.62 July; $13.72 Aug; $13.82 Sep.

LARD—$8.25 July; $8.35 Aug; $8.45 Sep.

RIBS—$7.55 July; $7.62 Aug; $7.70 Sep.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 15,000; prospects strong.

Cattle, 10,000; mostly Texas; prospects easier.

Car Lots—Wheat: Winter, 3; Spring, 21. Corn, 184. Oats, 88.

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SEE the *Decatur.*

IT was a cold winter and ye local prophets predicted a cold summer, but let *me* talk. Get your refrigerators ready and order ice from D. A. Maffit. *The summer will be a scorcher!* Telephone 100. july10

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The Best Goods for the Least Money,

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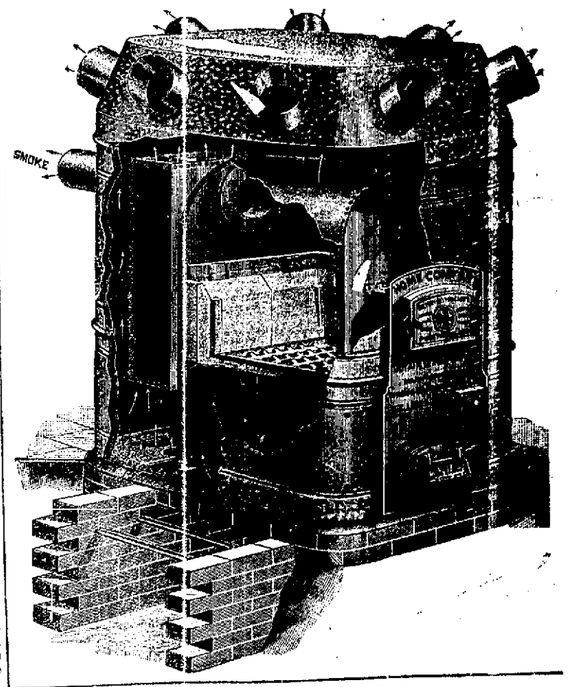

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Very Little Fuel, No Leaky Joints.

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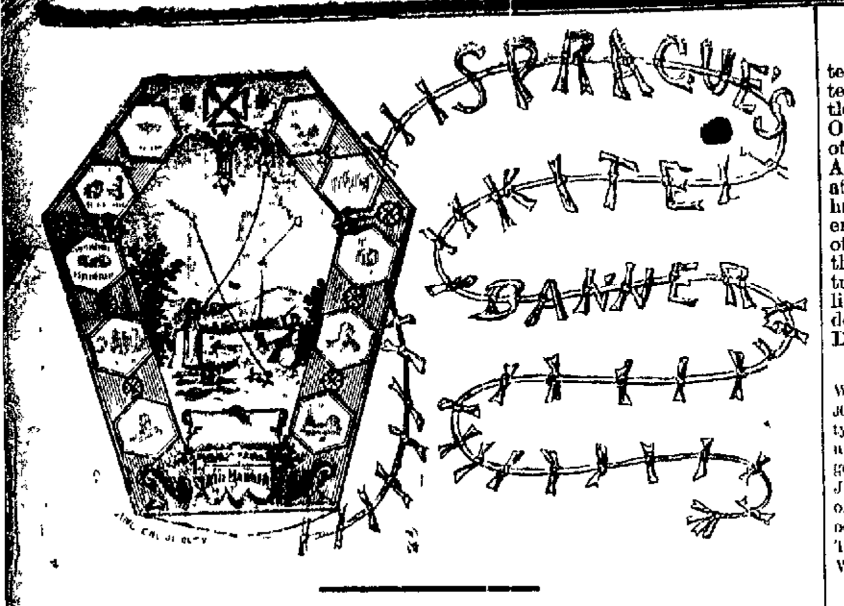

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Boys' and Men's Flannel Shirts. Boys' Flannel and Percale SHIRT WAISTS. SUMMER UNDERWEAR. NIGHT ROBES.

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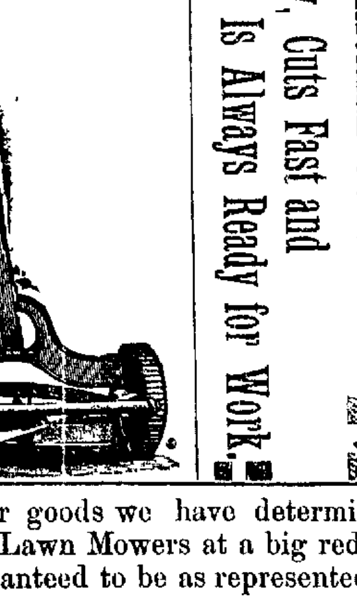

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Will sell Excursion Tickets as follows On June 30th, July 1st, 2d and 3d, from Decatur to Gettysburg, Pa, on account of the Gettysburg Reunion, at One Fare for the round trip, tickets good returning until July 6th On June 30th, July 1st, 2d and 3d, Decatur to Baltimore, Md, on account of the National convention of Democratic Clubs, at One Fare for the round trip Tickets good returning July 9th C G DORWIN, General Agent june16 dtd

SENATOR SALISBURY, of Delaware, is the only bachelor in the senate.

Two physicians, of Morris, Ill., told E. W. Huell that he was beyond the help of medicine or medical skill from seated lung disease contracted in a cold rain. Was induced to try Dr. Bigelow's Cough Cure. two bottles of which completed a cure. Over a year has elapsed and he is in excellent health, doing hard work on his farm. Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure is the only known consumption cure. Sold by Dr. A J. Stoner in fifty cent and dollar bottles. Get the genuine. Pleasant for children. 3b

Kid Gloves.

Our glove department was never so complete, and prices never so low as at present, beginning with Jouvin kids at 50 cents, Alexander at 90 cents, embroidered and plain, that cannot be equaled for quality and price; Treville black and colored, embroidered and plain at $1.18, the best gloves in the market for the money; real 4-button kids, embroidered and plain, at $1.25, equal to any other at $1.50. Also the new Fourchette in Mousquetaire street gloves in all the new shades, embroidered and plain, at popular prices March 31-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE largest and best selected stock of Farm Machinery, Field and Garden Seeds, Buggies, Road Carts, Spring Wagons, Farm Wagons, etc., etc., in Central Illinois, at Spencer & Lehman's, corner of Wood and Main streets. Everybody who intends buying goods in their line will find it for their interest to call and examine their stock before buying. mar28-d&wtf

Vehicles.

One would have to travel a long distance before finding a larger or more select stock of vehicles than that now at the Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s store rooms There are handsome and serviceable buggies, road carts, phaetons and spring wagons in various styles and makes, and no one could fail to be suited either in style or price mar28-d&wtf

YOUNG MAN, you would think those new shoes at Barber & Baker's would sell for $7.00 or $8.00, but they sell them for $4.00 and $5.00. They also have a nice line of $2.00 and $3.00 shoes. a12-dtf

FOR Buckeye iron Force Pumps, and Wood and Chain Pumps, go to Bushert & Carr, 241 and 245 East William street. Apr 27-dtf

THE lightest clothing house in town is Cheap Charley's daw

WHITE VESTS for barkeepers at B Stine's. dtf

NOLA TWIGG, a servant girl in Portland, Ore., has fallen heir to a fortune of $200,000 in England.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by John A. Swearingen a1

Star Waists for Boys.

Best quality in White and Fancy, 90c; second quality, 70c; Indigo Blue, $1.00; at LINN & SCRUGGS. d&w

Gloves.

An elaborate assortment of Silk, Lisle and Thread Gloves and Mits, from the low price of 10 cents to the finest Milanese with welts and embroidered backs. d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

IF you buy any clothing, inspect Cheap Charley's. daw

SENATOR SHERMAN always dresses well and ties his own necktie.

THE best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J Stoner 1b

ANYONE in search of a first-class cooking apparatus can find what they want in the "Home Comfort" Range sold by Morehouse, Wells & Co. One of the best housekeepers in the city says: "We did not know what home comfort was until we got a 'Home Comfort' range in the house" n30-tf

Fourth of July Excursions.

As has been its custom in the past, the Peoria, Decatur & Evansville Railway will sell Excursion Tickets between all stations on its line on July 3d and 5th, good to return until July 5th inclusive, at One Fare for the round trip june16-dtd F O. HOPKINS, G P A

LIGHT-WEIGHT Flannel Shirts, neatly made, perfect fits, elegant shades, well adapted for clerks, book-keepers and business men generally, at B. STINE'S.

FOR all kinds of bread, pies, cakes and rolls, go to the bakery of Aungst & Dowling, 533 North Morgan street. None better in the city. jan30-dtf

UNTIL further notice the I. C. R. R will sell excess baggage tickets at $10 each, being a reduction of 20 per cent. from former rates. apr25-dtf

HAVE plenty ice for all. Send in your orders, both great and small, to D. A Maffit; or telephone 100. july10

FOR style and neat appearance, those Kangaroo shoes at Barber & Baker's beats them all, and it does not cost a fortune to buy them, either. a12-dtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will repaint your carriage or wagon cheaper than elsewhere. Remember this. Repairing promptly done March 3-dawtf

GOLD-HEADED Silk Umbrellas, the finest in the market, at B. Stine's. dt

WE sell and warrant the celebrated Olds Wagons. BUSHERT & CARR, Apr 27-dtf 241 and 245 E. William st

ANY time not well served by my men telephone No. 100 and I will promptly correct all errors. D. A. MAFFIT. jy10

SEE the "Home Comfort" Ranges at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s. daw

CHEAP CHARLEY has one price only. daw

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from J P's docket, to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William W. Falconer, and against George W. Patterson, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit Lot Number Five (5) in Block Number Three (3) in H Robinson's addition to the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, taken as the property of the said George W. Patterson, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 28th day of June, A. D 1888, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution. This 6th day June, A. D. 1888.

J. H. MAUZY,
j6-dtd Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

Italian Growers Afraid That America Will Grow Her Own Fruit.

The telegraph stated a few days ago that the Italian Ministry of Commerce had been making inquiries into the extent of the orange and lemon production of the United States, especially regarding its effect upon Italian commerce in these fruits. Further information regarding this matter was obtained from Charles Dondero, secretary of the local Italian Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Dondero was found busily employed wrapping up the monthly bulletins published by the chamber, which are sent all over the United States wherever there are Italian merchants. About four hundred papers are also sent regularly to Italy to Italian merchants there The papers are printed in Italian, and contain a mass of information regarding California and its productions, and informing intending settlers where to locate.

"Did the chamber give the Italian Government information about our citrus fruits?" the reporter asked.

"Yes," replied Mr. Dondero, "they wrote to us about it, and we gave them considerable information. We did not use the exact language quoted in the dispatch, however The dispatch says that it was reported that California can supply the American market throughout the year The yearly orange crop of Italy is very great, and several millions of people live upon the orange and lemon business alone. Italy exports about 150,000,000 oranges a year to this country, and about 180,000,000 lemons. Most of the lemons are from Sicily But few of the oranges come to this coast, nearly all being absorbed by the Eastern market. A few lemons come here, however, not more than 4,000 boxes a year. Last year nearly 6,000 boxes were imported, but that was above the average. The Italian lemons are much hardier than ours, and will keep for eight months and stand a trip across the ocean. They will then be nearly as good as new Our lemons, however, with the best of care will not last more than four or five weeks In the East they always talk about the Mediterranean citrus fruits, but nearly all of them are from Italy

"Have any of our oranges been exported to Italy?"

"Oh, yes, but only in small amounts—more as samples than anything else. The Italians have pronounced them very good From the amount of capital invested in the business there, and from the fact that the business is one of the leading industries of the country, you can readily see why the Government, in behalf of the Italian merchants, should make these inquiries. They desire to ascertain just how the American production is going to affect their trade I have no doubt whatever that California can produce ten times as many oranges as it does now, for all the way from Los Angeles to Shasta they can be raised This is a peculiarly fortunate State, you must know, for we have not the heavy winds and frosts of Florida, and the soil is well adapted to raising oranges. The amount of the orange production of California is, in fact, as yet undetermined Nobody can tell it. In a hundred years it may be a hundred times greater than it is now."

"How do our lemons compare with those of other countries?"

"They rank about third First comes the Sicilian, then the Australian, then the Californian, and then the Mexican The Mexican lemon will not last as long as the Californian. Our lemons will not last to Europe. The limes will last longer, but are not used as much as the lemon. The lemon trade is one of the greatest resources of Sicily. The Italian Government, as you may see from the steps already taken by it, is doing all it can to assist the Italian trade in oranges and lemons, and is acquiring all information regarding matters which might affect it —*San Francisco Chronicle*

The Oriental Slave Trade.

A Blue Book was published recently containing last year's correspondence on the slave trade Colonel Schaefer, the head of the Department for the Suppression of the Slave Trade, states in 1886 that in six months 36 persons, many of them professional dealers, had been tried by court-martial for buying or selling slaves, of these, 13 were condemned, 4 acquitted, 10 were still under judgment and 9 were released for want of evidence. The report as to the progress of the Home for Women Slaves in Cairo, founded by the efforts of Mr Clifford Lloyd and Mrs Sheldon Amos, is encouraging. In May, 1886, 170 women had been received into the Home, most of them negresses, a few Circassians and a few Abyssinians According to another report drawn up by Colonel Schaefer, in the twelve months previous to May, 1885—that is, before the Slavery Department took over the working of the Manumission bureaus —the number of slaves freed in Egypt proper amounted to 1,032. In the following year that number was increased to 2,786, of whom 853 were the property of Dongola refugees. In 1883 there were 32 slave dealers in Cairo; there are now only 4 or 5, and they only act as brokers.—*St. James Gazette*

—A citizen of Missouri, who had been a little put out in times by Eastern newspaper comments on "Western lawlessness," writes to a friend in this city: "I see by the morning papers you have killed another woman in Hartford Don't kill them; send them out here."

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THE Court House restaurant is a good place to board by the week. Day board $3 per week. Board and room $4. Good room and table first-class. Give us a call. 139 South Water Street. f6dtf

IRON FORCE PUMPS, sold by Bushert & Carr. They are good ones and give universal satisfaction. Don't buy until you see them. may24wtf

THE Old Reliable Peter Schuttler and Moline Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman. feb16-dawtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. ap16-dtf

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Master in Chancery's Sale.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In Circuit Court of Macon County—In Chancery. To June Term, A. D. 1888.

Hattie J Gault et al., Ex parte, in Partition. No. 13143.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree entered at the June Term, A. D 1888, by the said Court, in the above entitled cause I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said Macon County, Illinois, will at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25th, 1888,

at the west outside door of the Court House in said Macon County, sell, at public vendue to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate, lying and being in the county of Macon state of Illinois, to-wit: Lot six (6) of the resurvey of lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15), of block six (6) of the original survey of the Town of Maroa Said lot is appraised at $250, and no sale can be made for less than two-thirds of said amount.

TERMS—Cash Deed to be executed to purchaser on approval of sale.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 26th day of June, A D 1888

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery of Macon County, Illinois.
W. C OUTTEN, Complainant's Solicitor.
june26-d4w

Administrator's Sale of Real Estate to PAY DEBTS.

Public notice is hereby given that by virtue of a decree of the county court of Macon county, state of Illinois, rendered at the May Term, A. D 1888, in the case of George W. Bright, Administrator of the estate of Lu Krone, deceased, vs E. B Krone et al, on a petition to sell real estate to pay debts, the undersigned will sell at public vendue, on TUESDAY, the 10th day of July A. D. 1888, between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, commencing at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the west entrance to the circuit court room in Decatur, Macon county, state of Illinois, the following real estate, to-wit. Lot number seven (7), in block number six (6), in Durfee & King's Addition to the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois That said sale will be made on the following terms, to wit One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, the balance in two equal instalments, due respectively in six and twelve months from the day of sale, secured by personal security and a mortgage on the premises sold, with the privilege to the purchaser of paying all cash. Deferred payments to draw interest at the rate of Six per cent per annum Said sale to be free from dower and without redemption The street number of said real estate and dwelling house thereon is 826 North Main street Abstract of title can be seen at the office of Bunn & Park

GEORGE W. BRIGHT,
Administrator of the Estate of Lu Krone, deceased
BUNN & PARK, Attorneys june7 d4w

Administrator's Notice for Final Settlement.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Estate of Phillip Bauer, Deceased

To Katrina Bauer, Susanna Bauer, Margaret Bauer, Peter Bauer and Adam Bauer, Heirs of said Estate

You are hereby notified that on Monday, the second day of July, 1888, the Administrator of said estate, will present to the County Court of Macon county, at Decatur, Illinois, his final report of his acts and doings as such Administrator, and ask the court to be discharged from any and all further duties and responsibilities connected with said estate, and his administration thereof, at which time and place you may be present and resist such application, if you choose so to do (Signed) JACOB KESSLER,
June 12 d2w Administrator.

Administratrix' Notice.

Estate of John A. Brown, Deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of John A Brown, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the County Court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on Monday, August 6th, next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned

Dated this 14th day of June, 1888

MARY BROWN,
Administratrix
JOHN A BROWN, Att'y. june14-d3w

FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance]

STOLEN—From my place, one half mile north west of Decatur, a Hereford milch cow A liberal reward will be paid for her recovery. june26-d1w* L R PROVOST.

SKETCHING—Miss Laura Johns will take a class in out of door sketching Terms, $5 00 per term of ten lessons Telephone 221. 26 d6

NOTICE TO TEACHERS!—At the urgent request of many teachers who desire to do first grade work, I will commence the following Science Classes on Monday, July 30, at the Decatur High School, viz Botany, Physiology, Zoology, Natural Philosophy, and possibly in Experimental Chemistry. The classes will be continued during the institute, which begins August 13. This will give all a four weeks' drill in the Sciences Tuition—$1 00 per week for first two weeks For further information, address J H COONRADT, june25-d2w Decatur, Ill

FOR SALE—A set of carpenter's tools, including almost every tool used by first class carpenters Call at 463 South Water St after 6 p. m j20-dtf

RESTAURANT FOR SALE—Apply to A. C Smith, reasonable terms. Apply at 759 Cerro Gordo St., Decatur, Ill june19-dtf

LOST—Between 634 West William street and Maj. Williams' residence, in Mt Zion township, on the Maffit road, two child's dresses, one a green chambray, and the other a sateen, also a white skirt Finder will please return to the office or residence of I. A BUCKINGHAM, and receive a reward june20-d6w1

WANTED—Three honest, pushing men in your vicinity, special inducements now, fast selling specialties Any determined man can succeed with us. Don't delay. Salary from start. BROWN BROTHERS, Nurserymen, Chicago, Ill may30 d&w1m*

FOR SALE—Bee hives, sections, crates, comb foundation and smokers Also celery plants from June 15th to August 1st Beeswax bought E A GASTMAN, Decatur Telephone 236 may16-d&w4w

WANTED—Agents at the "Isituntilsuited" Art Studio. $15 00 per week and expenses paid to the right party Call or address "Isituntilsuited" Art Studio, Decatur, Ill. mar31-d&wtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that I am pressing, coloring, bleaching all kinds of ladies' and children's straw hats, and satisfaction guaranteed, at No. 642 North Morgan St. june4-d3w*

WANTED—A blacksmith of 25 years experience, wants a job of work in Decatur or near there, have always worked on country work and job work of all kinds Address C. H. GERRARD, Janesville, Ill. may30-d4w*

Shoo Fly.

All kinds of Screen work done; will furnish wire cloth and repair old screens Can give references of 500 customers using my Patent Screens None but first-class work done; work not done by clerks and botches Call at Shop—150 West Main street, 1st door east of fire house I shall prosecute all persons infringing on my patent. This is my fifth year. Will contract building and carpenter work. may7-d3mo W W. SHOCKEY.

FOR SALE—House and two lots, corner West North and Pine streets. Inquire of apr12-dtf JOHN QUINLAN.

AWNINGS.—Cox & Chamberlain, mattress manufacturers, are now prepared to make and put up awnings on short notice at the lowest possible prices. Any style or quality desired. Give them a call at the mattress factory, 553 North Broadway. mar15-dtf

REMOVAL NOTICE—M. C. Lilly, formerly under Decatur National Bank, has removed to 310 North Water street, opposite First M. E. church, 2nd floor, where he is prepared to do all kinds of jobbing work, and makes a specialty of edge tool dressing, gunsmithing, locks and keys, gasoline stoves, &c., &c. M. C. LILLY. jan6-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that Bachman Bros. 244, East Main Street, have on hand a lot of second-hand Stoves, GOOD AS NEW, which will be sold at HALF PRICE. july1-dtf

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent. interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, over New York Store. july 16d&wtf

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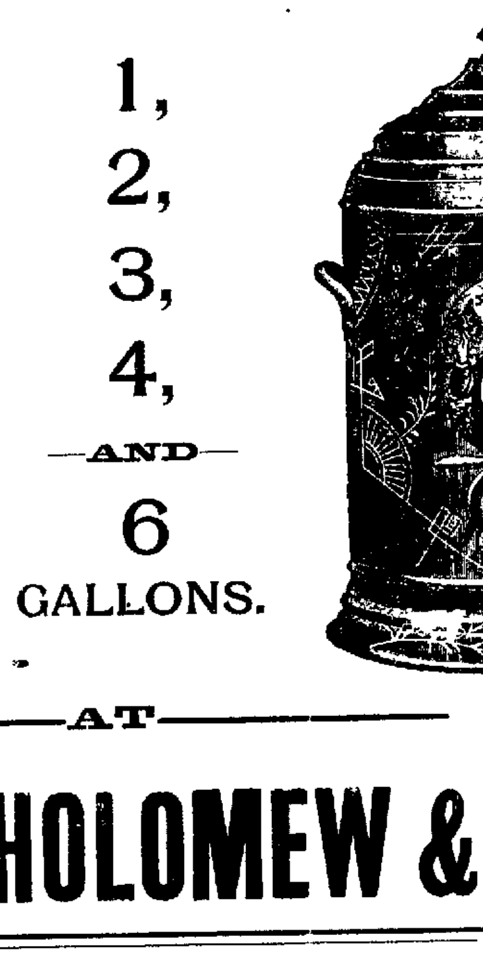

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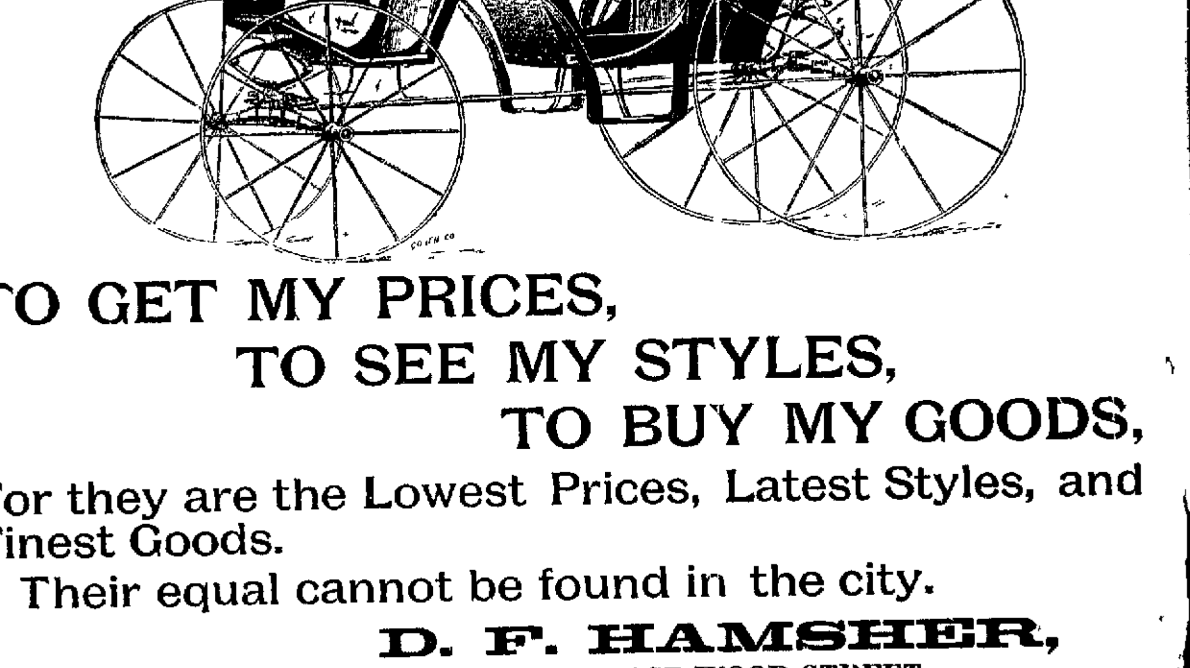

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